up FCI to the High Court. It is not prudent to undertake any study at this juncture.

Development of National Parks/Sanctuaries in Andhra Pradesh

5430. DR. DASARI NARAYAN RAO: Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are providing funds for the development of National Parks and Sanctuaries to Andhra Pradesh;

(b) If so, the details of funds provided during the last three years, year-wise; and

(c) the results achieved there from during the said period?

THE MINISTER OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI T.R. BAALU): (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. The details of funds released to Andhra Pradesh for the development of National Parks and Sanctuaries are as given below:

Sl. No.	Name of the scheme	Year-wise funds released (Rupees in Lakhs)		
		1999-2000	2000-2001	2001-2002
1.	Development of National Parks and Sanctuaries	87.54	186.07	88.595
2.	Project Tigar	29.036	45.00	21.00
3.	Eco-Development in and around Protected Areas	44.534	33.548	69.595
4.	Project Elephant	11.86	46.3	31.00

(c) Wildlife conservation measures taken during the last three years have improved the habitat of wild animals.

Rights of villagers/tribals in designated forests in Andhra Pradesh

5431. DR. DASARI NARAYANA RAO: Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the local population, like tribals and villagers, have specified rights in the designated forests who heavily depend on forests;